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CORRECTED COPY (TEXT)

EO 11652 GDS
TAGS: MASS, TU
SUBJECT: SHIP LOANS LST 1167 WESTCHESTER COUNTY, APL-53

REF: ANKARA 6620

1. MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS URGENTLY REQUESTED AN EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATIC NOTES TO COVER LOAN OF LST WESTCHESTER COUNTY AND APL-53. MFA STRESSED THAT EXCHANGE OF NOTES IN THIS INSTANCE IS "COMPLUSORY" UNDER TURKISH LAW (IMPLYING THAT LOAN AGREEMENT OTHERWISE NOT BINDING ON GOT) AND THAT AUTHORIZATION FROM COUNCIL OF MINISTERS TO EXCHANGE NOTES ON THIS SUBJECT WILL EXPIRE WHEN CURRENT MFA SECRETARY GENERAL LEAVES OFFICE ON SEPTEMBER 4.

2. STATE 190139 RECEIVED AFTER PARAGRAPH ABOVE DRAFTED. WHEN INFORMED INFORMALLY OF U.S. POSITION, MFA ASSISTANT DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR INTERNATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS MAINTAINED THAT, BECAUSE NAVAL OFFICER SIGNING LOAN AGREEMENT DID NOT HAVE AUTHORIZATION FROM COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, GOT IS NOT BOUND BY THIS AGREEMENT. HE AGAIN STRESSED NEED FOR EXCHANGE OF NOTES HERE, OR, IF DEPARTMENT PREFERS, IN WASHINGTON.

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3. REQUEST DEPT'S GUIDANCE BY COB SEPTEMBER 3, IF POSSIBLE.

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